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COMNAVAIRSYSCOM WASH DC

UNCLAS KUWAIT 0864

FOR GEN FISH AND ADM BOYD FROM AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: MASS, KU

SUBJECT: USN WEAPONS SYSTEM LIAISON OFFICE, KUWAIT

REFS: (A) KUWAIT 0729, (B) CNO 111307Z FEB 77

1. I CONCUR IN THE PROPOSAL (REF B) TO SEND MR. THOMAS TO KUWAIT O/A MAR 1 FOR APPROXIMATELY 60 DAYS TDY PENDING ASSIGNMENT OF AN ADDITIONAL PERMANENT WSLO REP. ON THE UNDERSTANDING THAT THERE WILL BE NO GAP BETWEEN THE LATTER'S ARRIVAL AND THE DEPARTURE OF THOMAS.

2. MAJ ROBERTS WILL ATTEND THE STATUS REVIEW CONFERENCE AS CURRENTLY SCHEDULED.

3. I APPRECIATE YOUR EFFORTS TO HELP OUT IN THIS SITUATION ALTHOUGH I RECOGNIZE THIS IS ONLY A PARTIAL SOLUTION TO OUR PROBLEM. MY DIMINUTIVE USLOK STAFF OF TWO OFFICERS WILL BE UNABLE TO PROVIDE ANY COVERAGE OF THE UNCLASSIFIED

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NAVY FMS PROGRAMS DURING MAJ ROBERTS' APPROXIMATELY 30 DAYS ABSENCE, SO THAT THOMAS WILL HAVE TO CARRY THE ENTIRE BURDEN. I CANNOT AVOID EXPRESSING MY DISAPPOINTMENT OVER THE INABILITY OF THE NAVY TO MEET THE PERSONNEL REQUESTS OF THE KUWAIT WSLO AT A TIME WHEN PREPARATIONS FOR THE DELIVERY OF THE FIRST A4'S ARE RUNNING INTO COMPLICATIONS BECAUSE OF MILITARY AIRPORT CONSTRUCTION DELAYS. I HOPE THIS

SITUATION CAN BE CORRECTED SOON AND THAT THE NAVY WILL  
NOT ALLOW A REPETITION OF IT TO OCCUR THIS SUMMER WHEN  
MAJ ROBERTS IS SCHEDULED TO DEPART THIS PORT.

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